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ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.–38—1y.

LIVERY STABLES

AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The subscriber takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he is still at the "old stand" and continue to keep horses, buggies, carriages &c., for hire. persons accommodated at all times and on reasonble terms. Remember the place—on Road treet near the canal bridge.

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Poetry.

A Chat in the Club.

[Subject—The Stolen Hat and the "Maidens" Advice.]

Sitting one day in the room of our Club.
My cigar burned down to a very short stub,
Said I "boys from these habits I've got to digress—
Why here is the "CAROLINIAN" fresh from the press;
I'll look over its columns and find something new,
'And see if the Editor is doing as he ought to do.
'Why hallo! old Ike, here is something agen;
There has one of the "Maidens" taken the pen.
She has given your *Stolen Hat* verses a drub,
And gone in like a brick on our 'Bachelors Club.'"
"Well, what does she think of those verses of mine?
Come, read out her version of them line for line."
"She thinks you're a fool old fellow" said I,
"And treats you quite cool, but I cannot tell why.
Your verses *were* poor, but then what of that,
Aint your *old setter dog* just as good as her cat?
Old fellow don't mope, come out with your ink,
(That is the black bottle) and give us a drink."
Said Ike, "now I vow and do firmly declare,
Just to please this fair maid a new hat I will wear.
I tell you what boys they cost us right dear,—
Why a fellow must buy a new hat every year!
Understand, I don't mind buying me a new hat,
'Tis the comfort of wearing the thing I look at."
"Why Ike that is true, this old slouch of mine
Suits me very much better than anything fine;
And though they don't fancy the boots that I wear,
I would not give them now for a slashing new pair.
But the maid seems to think you as bad as the thief,
And say that you growl at the price of your beef.
Now Ike you must come out with a new piece ere long,
And she says a new theme must burden your song.
Now do it old boy, for I know that you can:
Show her a hat is a mighty poor piece of a man.
There is an old proverb—it is simply that
"You never should judge a man by his hat."

Elizabeth City, N. C.

Selected Story.

Barton's Baby.

BY FRANK H. CONVERSE

Robert Archer, Esq., as he was wont to sign himself, was a bachelor of the most confirmed stamp. It was whispered, that years before, when he was "handsome Bob Archer," a young lady had jilted him, but as most middle aged men can recall some passage in their lives in which a like event may have taken place, this should hardly be admitted as an excuse for such disagreeable cynicism, as characterized the life and sayings of Mr. Archer.

He always stoutly denied having been "refused," but once, in a moment of unguarded confidence, he acknowledged to Widger—the only man who had ever been known to establish anything approaching an intimacy with him—that he *did* once ask a young lady if she would marry him; "and," said Mr. Archer with a rueful smile, "she said she'd rather be excused—and now," he added with a look of self congratulation, as one who through his long-sightedness, had escaped some terrible danger, "I'm mighty glad I excused her."

So the crusty old bachelor had arrived at the age of forty years, at which standpoint we find him, a rather good looking man with $20,000, a splendid constitution, and a hatred for babies that amounted to a positive mania.

Bob Archer—as we who have known him all his days shall call him—boarded at Mrs. Green's, on Charton street, and next door lived Mr. and Mrs. Barton, who were joint owners and sole proprietors of a strong-lunged and generally unpleasant infant about a year old.

It is a singular fact, and one worthy of notice, that each succeeding generation of babies that come wailing into the world, are several shades better than their predecesors.

And when we reflect upon the number of people who claim to own the "best child that ever was," and who firmly assert that *their* baby "seldom or never cries," we are prone to wonder why it is that this age should be so much in advance of the preceeding one, and why everybody's baby should be so far superior to anybody's else baby.

The Barton baby, of course, in the eyes and arms of its proper parents, was one of these prodigies of tearless and noiseless infancy. "Run in and see Mary and the baby," was the oft repeated invitation of Barton. "That baby, sir, is really the best child—" and then Barton would maunder on in a most exasperating way, while Archer would mentally wish his visitors anything but blessings, as he listened to the enconiums on infancy, so profusely indulged in by the happy parent.

The first time that this cordial invitation had been given, Archer had replied with far more of frankness than politeness, that he wasn't any hand for ladies society, "and as for babies—" here he muttered something under his breath, eulogistic of King Herod's degree, which, fortunately, was unheard by Barton.

The bewildered stare with which that latter gentleman had favored him, at such a declaration of heresy, in regard to female society, caused Bob Archer to somewhat modify his ungracious answer, and to add vaguely that "sometime" he would "see about it."

Mrs. Barton, who was a pretty, blue-eyed little woman, had a brother boarding with her aged fifteen, who, I grieve to state, was a very naughty boy, and at the Tieverton Academy which he attended, his exploits were a source of continued annoyance to the teachers and of mingled wonder and admiration to his schoolmates. And yet he was one of the best-hearted boys in the world, only for this mischievous element that seemed a part of his nature. He was always duly sorry for his transgressions, and his fits of penitence have been known to last a full hour.

But between Mrs. Archer and Charlie there was a feud, originating from a little of Charlie's playfulness, and it came about in this wise.

The former gentleman was given to wearing a stand-up collar, surrounded by a very stiff and clerical looking white neck handkerchief, which Charle having often observed, proceeded in the absence of Mr. Archer, to obtain possession of a large and remarkably tall Cochin China rooster that belonged to Mrs. Green,—one of that cheerful species of bird with a voice like a fog whistle, and spurs like marlin-spikes, which make the small hours of the morning hideous with uneasonable crowing.

Several attempts had been made by Mrs. Green's lodgers to dispose of this remarkable bird, by poison and other foul means, but owing to the constitution naturally, strong, and a digestion unimpaired by trifles, it had become a mooted question among the enemies of this rooster, as to whether anything short of a can of nitro glycerine would have any effect whatever upon his stomach.

At the expense of a pair of scratched hands, Charlie had succeeded in capturing the unhappy bird, which he immediately proceeded to invest with a huge paper collar and tie, after which he turned him loose in the street, where unfeeling and heartless people declared that he resembled Bob Archer to a marvellous degree.

When that gentleman returned from a down-town walk, his eyes were greeted with this singular apparition stalking majestically up and down the pavement, to the great admiration and interest of a large crowd of youths, who were by no means sparing in their remarks concerning the resemblance between the feathered biped and Mr. A.

Afterwards, when the latter gentleman had discovered that Charlie was the author of this gracious trick, he had in the first flush of his wrath threatened the boy with a caning. And Charlie, I regret exceedingly to state, had immediately assnmed a pugilistic attitude, and revolving his fists rapidly (he was full five feet three) after the supposed style of the late John C. Heenan, he had assumed that he would like to see him (Mr. Archer) "try it on," and had then muttered something in reference to "putting a head" on some person or persons not specified.

It is needless at this point for me to attempt to inculcate a moral lesson. Every well-regulated boy who may read this story will readily see that Charlie's act was very wrong.

It was all bad enough; but, as if not satisfied, this sad boy stole a stuffed monkey from the case in Dr. Adams' study, and fastening a pair of large, green glass goggles astride its nose, and encircling its neck with a piece of red flannel, he enclosed the same in a bandbox, and writing on the cover of the box: "With the compliments of Robert Archer, Esq.," he dispatched it, per small boy, to the residence of Rebecca Fletcher, who was a single young lady of eight-and-thirty seasons, popularly supposed to cherish an unrequitted affection for Mr. Archer.

Miss Fletcher fell into the most rigid hysterics upon the receipt of this cheerful present (I do not wonder at it), and the paternal Fletcher, who was a choleric old gentleman, hastily loaded his double barrelled gun with the avowed determination of seeking Mr. Archer's life.

But, fortunately Charlie's share in the matter was discovered in time to save Mr. Archer from the wrath of the aged party referred to, and Charlie was threatened with caning number two, which, on the whole, I am rather sorry he did not get, for it is a sad thing to send a dead monkey with spectacles on and a red rag around its neck, as a present to a lady.

One evening Mr. and Mrs. Barton were invited to take tea at a neighbor's, and as the servant was tripping her light fantastic toes at a dance down town, it became necessary to leave the youth in question in charge of the baby. It was with the greatest reluctance that Mrs. B., after numberless embraces of the infant and instructions to Charlie, (who was absorbed in the perusal of one of Oliver Optic's most incredible stories) as to the location of a bottle with a gum muzzle containing the necessary nourishment, left the hope of the Barton family, and when fairly under way she ran back for the purpose of one last smothering embrace of the "tidy 'ittle thing," whatever that may signify.

But hardly had the door finally closed upon Mrs. Barton than her juvenile brother laid down his book, and after executing a species of triumphant war-dance, at the same time whistling softly the bars of a popular melody, he surveyed the sleeping infant with a triumphant air and muttered, "Reckon old Archer'll be a little s'prised when he comes to see what he's got for a present," after which mysterious words he took a market basket from the closet, and placing the child with an infinitude of wraps therein departed from the room.

Mr. Archer was ruminating alone by the sitting room fire, with his feet elevated somewhat above the level of his head, the family of Greens having gone out to spend the evening, when a sharp ring at the door bell brought him to his normal position, and seizing the lamp he opened the front door, and beheld—a market basket.

"That butcher's boy must be in a hurry," remarked Archer, as shutting the door, he sat the basket down with a crash—when to his infinite horror and dismay, a yell like that of a juvenile friend, burst from the interior of the same, and as he exclaimed "By Jove! it's—it's—a baby!" he sat down on the front stairs and a cool perspersation ran the whole length of his spinal column.

"What on earth shall I do!" muttered the wretched man, as he cautiously approached the resting place of the child, whose shriekes became more frantic; with the courage of desperation he proceeded to uplift the infant—fortunately right side up—but as he awkwardly attempted to hush its cries, by saying, "Shoo—shoo now"—the cries were redoubled, and Mr. Archer began to think darkly of the way in which young kittens are disposed of.

In most well regulated stories, where a baby is left under these, or any other circumstances,—when it is found, it always looks sweetly into its discoverer's face, and "cooes" (which I believe is the correct expression)—or stretches its little arms to be taken up, or smiles so sweetly or something of the kind.

This, being a real flesh and blood baby, did nothing of the kind. But it choaked and roared, and squirmed, and turned purple in the face, to that extent, that Mr. Archer in his desperation was about to take it out to the kitchen sink, and pump water upon its head, when, to add to his perplexity and dismay—the doorbell rang again.

"Possibly the wretched mother may have repented deserting her child," was the cherring thought that passed through his mind, as he made a rapid rush to the door, accompanyed by a fresh outburst from the interesting infant.

But, to his dismay, who should be there but Miss Fletcher, who had come to call on the Green family.

"Why Mr. Archer—I didn't know—I thought—you didn't like children?" was the remark of the astonished lady, as Mr. A., with a scarlet countenanee, attempted to make himself heard above the din, and to explain the situation.

"Like 'em!" shouted Mr. Archer, as though Miss Fletcher had been hard of hearing; "I'm going to drown this—this—wretched being if I can find a salt bag anywhere hanly," and we are not altogether sure but that he would have made his threat good, had not Miss Fletcher, after a moments' hesitation as to the "propriety" of the thing, stepped into the entry, and taking the child in her arms, and then' to the wonder and awe of Mr. Archer there was a sudden cessation of the tumult, and as the distorted features settled down into something like their original shape, Miss Fletcher exclaimed as she trotted the now pacified baby on her knee.

"Why, it's little Daisy Barton!" And then Mr. Archer in a tumult of delight at the discovery, grew animated and agreeable, and they both agreed that it was some of "that terrible boy's" doings."

"After all," said Mr. Archer, as they sat in the other room, and the fire threw flickering shadows over Miss Fletcher's soft brown hair, and tinged her still round cheek with a becoming flush, "there is more drollery than malice in that boys composition, and I can hardly blame him for a trick that has given me the pleasure of Miss Fletchers company."

Forsooth to say, the old bachelor, as he sat there watching the lady in question, who, fortunately, had her most becoming dress and her best braids of false hair, with just a tinge of rogue on her face, had made the discovery that Miss Fletcher really looked quite pretty; and the maiden lady shew a beautiful white and even set of teeth, when she smilingly thanked Mr. Archer for his compliment.

Meanwhile, Mr. and Mrs. Barton were hastening homeward, the latter full of apprehensions in regard to the fate of the baby, and much self reproach at having been so unwise as to have left it in the care of her rattlepated brother.

That youth, who had watched the discovery of the babe, and the subsequent call of Miss Fletcher through the blinds, who had not been able to devise a scheme for the recovery of the infant, resolved to brazen it out, and was very busily engaged in strapping a pair of skates as little Mrs. Barton opened the door and made a rush for the cradle.

"Good heavens! where—what *have* you done with Daisey, Charlie?" was the terried exclamation of the mother as she discovered its absence.

"Don't worry, Sis," said the imputable youth, with a patronizing air, while Mr. Barton glared on him in speechless indignation from the door, "You see, Mr. Archer, next door, got sort of lonesome and came in and borrowed Daisey for a little while."

"And," continued that unabashed youth, "Miss Fletcher and he is playin' keep house, and so I—"

Mrs. Barton waited no longer, but rushed into the next door just in time to find Bob Archer's arm cleverly enfolding Miss Fletchers waist, and the baby looking as smiling as possible in the latter ladie's lap.

Mr. Archer jumped hastily to his feet and muttered an incoherent remark about "trying to amuse the child." Miss Fletcher blushed violently, but the general explanation that followed, served to cover the mutual embarrassment of the two most interested parties.

The baby was given up, and Miss Fletcher was accompanied home by Mr. Archer, and next day the town was electrified by the news of their engagement.

For love, like the measles, is apt to go very hard with elderly people, and the old bachelor who had so long resisted Cupid's darts had falen a victim at last.

Mrs. Barton administered a sound scolding to her mischievous brother who only chuckled as he recalled the expression that was visible on Mr. Archer's face when he first discovered the trick, (for Charlie had peeped through the entry blinds,) but of course he promised never to do so again.

Mr. Barton also gravely narrated the examples of several vicious boys whom he had known, who all came to an untimely end, but I fear the lessons were not heeded by that bad boy, who was at that moment, shoeing the family cat with paper.

But as Mr. Archer, who is happily married to Miss Fletcher, always attributes his present matrimonial felicity to the events of that evening; he and the boy are on the best of terms, and Charlie is now settling down to be quite a steady youth.

He occasionally breaks out in some new vein of mischief, but is gradually coming to see the errors of his ways and conducts himself accordingly.

The baby—the unconscious instrument of the above narrated incident now has begun to talk, and here, if you please, I will leave it. I am not fond of babies.

Miscellaneous.

Alas for veils! From the tiny infant in the nurse's arms to the ancient widow in her weeds, the whole sex is veiled. Veils answer many purposes. They conceal defects, they heighten beauty, they cover grief, and so we have a whole race of women of every age, style, and condition laying foundations for diseases of the eye through an almost needless fashion. These blinders are of every conceivable style, from the white dot on the child to the english crape on its grand mother. The best oculists give testimony against wholesale wearing of veils, and we think they should make protest against it, even at the risk of injury to their calling. At least let the mothers of to-day look to it that they will be held resposible, in another generation, for suffering their little ones to go veiled, as the matrons of a past generation were for allowing tight lacing and all the evils which that distressing practice entailed.

A poor unfortunate who was "assisted" out of doors the other night, says he has no objection to his wife putting her foot down, but he wishes she wouldn't take it up.

A western paper says of air, in its relation to man. "It kisses and blesses him, but will not obey him." Blobbs says that description suits his wife exactly.

A Milwaukee woman traded her son for a dog, and although it is a poor dog, it is thought that she made a good bargain.

A fop, in company, wanting his servant, called out, "Where's that blackhead of mine!" "On your shoulders, sir" said a lady.

Chang and Eng.

NO SPECULATION WITH THE RAMAINS.

Mr. Christopher Bunker has made a statement relative to the disposition of the bodies of his father and uncle, better known as the Siamese Twins. The following extracts from the statement will be read with interest:

When I arrived at Mount Airy, on the 18th of Febuary, about a month after my father's and uncle's death, I at once wrote to my cousin, who was then in Kansas City, Missouri, to come home, and he immediately came. All of us who have moved in the world at once sternly upbraided our relatives for allowing the bodies to pass from them, and somewhat sternly demanded the cause. My mother and aunt stated that they had been influenced by the arguments instituted by Mr. R. S. Gilmer, who during their lives seemed to my father and uncle a most intimate friend.

Gilmer advised everything, and thus trampled to earth my own and my cousin's best and most delicate feelings. His whole idea was to have the bodies exhibited, and he pressed his ends upon our parents by adroitly mentioning the great pecuniary benefits likely to result from the autopsy and subsequent exhibition. All these things were repugnant to me and to my cousin. Gilmer planned, advised and instituted the whole business, and despite what the physicians say, I believe, and so does my cousin, that he did so for his own peculiar views. Gilmers whole idea was to have the bodies shown, and I say, unhesitasingly, that Gilmer has outraged our entire family. Had either myself or my cousin been at home, we would have defended the bodies even until our own death.

I deny that my mother or my aunt until this hour have received one cent for the bodies, nor shall either our mothers or ourselves receive one cent for their exhibition in future. O, how I wish there was something to destroy the effect of the embalment! How I wish that the influence of the injected fluid might be dispelled, and that the bodies might quickly decay! As it is, they will be fifty years hence as they are today. I fear after they are buried they may be stolen. Several parties have already traveled hundreds of miles to visit my mother, and have asked her that they might be permitted to make contracts for their future exhibition.

Never, never shall the Siameso Twins be seen again. We have not received one cent for their autopsy, nor shall we ever exhibit their bones. It would kill us to do so. No extremity could possibly induce us, while for the public comment already made, for the undue advantage already taken of us, for the extent to which our sacred and beloved dead have been paraded in false and unpatural colors in the public press, we have nothing but regret, sorrow and tears.

Stray Thoughts.

BY F. G.

We are all hunters in the field of life. Some of us bring down our game; but most of us end in a wild-goose chase.

True manners are the blossoming of the social man. Unfortunately some men are born cryptogamous.

Were it not for the clouds that darken us there would be no rainbow in our lives.

When you read, read the best books; it costs you no more; and what you get will correct and help build you up. A good book is like a voice from nature or from God. Do not confound this voice with the utterance of falsehood [illegible]

A child is often the hyphen connecting the uncongenial husband and wife.

It is not in placing the words that the effect of the good writer consists; it is the thought put upon his word, that leaps to it the particle to the mind.

The proud man is pleased to withdraw from me; [illegible]

Why are we so shy of strangers? We but meet a brother, another self, [illegible] he has found us, [illegible] ourselves. We do count noses, and make distinctions.

We are shining when we are [illegible]

Perhaps the greatest good next to doing good is to have your "neighbor" do it, to *benefit* your enemy. But some people heap coals of fire on their enemy's head to *scorch* him.

Idleness is the great slough into which the vices of the world drift and wallow, to rise again in miasma.

It should not be said that 'our' kindness is unacknowledged; it is its influence still.

We govern our passions; but if we all let the passions first have a mastery.

The True Meaning.

The true meaning of the text that "man was made a little lower than the angles," has been misunderstood by the greatest commentators. It does not refer to the cherubim or seraphim, in any order of purity, but to the time in the garden of Eden. Man was made a little inferior to woman, for woman, in all ages, has been compared to an angel with angels. The superiority of woman is in these times so universally admitted, that it is surprising this meaning should have been discovered till now.

Out of five children who composed the family of John Jacob Astor, one only remains. This is William B., who is now over eighty years of age. He is one of the oldest native born residents of New York, and has seen a wonderful series of changes. He can remember the time when only a youth of fourteen, and he has seen the city increase from 30,000 to a million of inhabitants, and his estate expand from $200,000 to $50,000,000, and he has seen all the associates of his youth pass away, and all the associates of his young manhood.

During a recent freshet in Connecticut an editor telegraphed another at the scene of action, "Send me full account of the flood." The answer came, "You will find them in Genesis."

Persistency is final victory. John Couch was married in Philadelphia last week to a girl who rejected him eighteen times. She said she was tired of refusing him.

It is apparent to a parent that a great many children get on the wrong track because the switch is misplaced.

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A FEW SUGESTIONS ON ECONOMY.

We hear a good deal said these times about economy. Some discuss the subject rationally, others say much that is foolish. There is a wide difference between an economical disposition and a miserly one. True economy may be consistent with liberality, but never with extravagance. It seeks to stop the leaks and wastes of public and private expenditures, not to cut down or cut off those expenses which are necessary to the State and individual. The man who spends the least money is not the most economical. The miser may deny nature her actual wants, spend but a few cents a day to keep soul and body together, hoard nearly every dollar that comes into his hands, yet he is not practicing economy. He is purely selfish, and a greater enemy to society than the spendthrift who squanders his means in riotous living. The man who has the ability to help others and refuses to do it, who in the face of a panic that has not touched his wealth or enterfered with his plans, stops contemplated improvements, or grinds down to starvation prices the poor men who are dependent upon him for their bread, may save a few dollars by thus taking advantage of hard times, but when he pleads *economy* as the cause of his close-fisted transactions, we must beg to differ with his interpretation of the word. It does not consist simply in saving money, nor always in getting the most for a certain amount. It does however consist in that wise expenditure of means which, avoiding waste, permits money to go as far as it can without injury to the one who pays or to the one who receives.

So long as this equal ballance is maintained between capital and labor their interests must be mutual, for both obtain through the medium of exchange what each stands in need of—the one money, the other labor, and this without a sacrifice on the part of either. But when capital, taking advantage of hard times, seeks to obtain more work for a given amount than labor can afford to give, or when labor exacts from capital a like sacrifice on its part, either through combinations or busy times, the equilibrium is distroyed and the result is distrust, antagonism, open opposition, oftentimes leading to violence.

To maintain this equilibrium, and to make capital and labor mutually dependent on each other, without exciting that antagonism which appears to be on the increase daily, require the highest wisdom on the part of our statesmen and the exercise of practical common sense on the part of the people themselves. The sooner capital and labor understand that both are dependent on each other; that the closer the relationship and the firmer the friendship between the two the greater will be the prosperity of each; that *true* economy does not sanction the exactions of the one or the dictations of the other, the sooner will prosperous times return when the working men shall find profitable employment, and through that employment the capitalist safe investment.

THE INFLUENCE OF GOOD NEWSPAPERS.

That the newspaper exerts a powerful influence is conceded. The following expressions of distinguished men are to the point.

Four hostile newspapers are more to be dreaded than a hundred thousand bayonets.—*Bonaparte.*

A newspaper can drop the same thought into a thousand minds at the same moment.—*De Toqueville*

Give me the liberty to know, to alter, and to argue according to conscience, above all liberties.—*Milton.*

Ever enlightening, always confirming grand truths, ever baptizing Infant peoples, and always new—*Archishop Hughes.*

I would rather live in a country with newspapers and without a government, than in a country with a government and without newspapers.—*Jefferson.*

Armed with the liberty of the press, * * * I will shake down from its hight corruption, and bury it amidst the ruins of the abuses it was meant to shelter.—*Sheridan.*

In the Uniter States every worthy citizen reads a newspaper, and owns the paper he reads. * * * A good newspaper will keep a sensible man in sympathy with the world's current history. It is an ever unfolding encyclopædia,—an unbound book forever issuing and never finished.—*Beecher.*

On the 2nd inst. the French Steamship "Europe" from Havre to New York sprang a leak in mid ocean and finally sunk. Her passengers and crew (400) were fortunately taken on board the English Steamship "Greece" which fortunately happened to be in sight. The vessel cost $1,250,000. Her cargo consisted of silks, wines &c., valued at $1,000,000. Both vessel and goods were partially insured.

THE RENOMINATION OF MR. COBB.

In our last issue we stated that the best interests of this District demanded that Hon. C. L. COBB be renominated and reelected to Congress. We again repeat it. One half of official ability comes from experience. The best talents and the amplest learning are of little real value to a Congressman until he acquires the tact and skill which actual participation in the business of legislation alone can give. A man does not know what to do or how and where to do it, and what is a great deal more important, what not to undertake, until he has gone through several sessions. There is scarcely an instance on record of a Congressman who gained a leading influence in the House or Senate in two years, unless, indeed, he had gained large legislative influence elsewhere. HENRY CLAY, whose brilliant Congressional career may seem to be an exception to our statement, owed his leadership partly to his exceptionally brilliant personal qualties, but quite as much to the fact that the other members had quite as little experience as he had, and far less assiduity, ambition and audacity. For two terms DANIEL WEBSTER was merely the "member from Massachusetts." The great South Carolinian—JOHN C. CALHOUN—in his first term merely gave an intimation of what he would be. His first speeches compare with his later ones as the spluttering phosporescent glare of the match with the clear and steady flame of the lamp. The illustrious THADEUS STEVENS often admitted that during his first terms of service he was a mere plodder after influence, of little weight or use. But for the wisdom of constituencies in reelecting true and faithful men in Congress for term after term, we should have lost the service and influence of the greatest statesmen the country has ever produced.

Mr. COBB has now required the experience that will enable him to be of special service to this District. The influence and weight and usefulness referred to by Mr. STEVENS—the plodding work of years—has been obtained, and now to think for a moment of nominating a new man who would have all this to acquire before he could possibly serve us so well would be impolitic and unwise, and especially so at a time when the people of the District are needing so much aid within the power of Congress to give. Hence we conclude as we began the best interests of the district demands that Mr. COBB be again returned to Congress.

OUR CANDIDATE FOR SUPERENTENDNAT PUBLIC IN STRUCTION.

At our mast head this week we raise the name of THOMAS R. PURNELL, the Republican nominee for Superintendent of Public Instruction. This being the only State officer to be elected this year it was not deemed necessary to call a convention to nominate. The State Committee, at a meeting held at Raleigh on the 9th inst., after full consultation and deliberation deemed it wise to propose the name of Mr. PURNELL, of Forsythe county. We endorse this action and will give the nominee our cordial support.

THOMAS R. PURNELL comes from good stock, being the grand son of one of North Carolina's best Governors EDWARD B. DUDLEY. He is a fine scholar, a good speaker and an able man. He is very popular wherever known and if elected will fill the high office with credit.

Different opinions are entertained on the question of inflation. Somebody thus expresses his notions:

"I see you are in favor of more money. I have a few dollars that I should like to have inflated. I have also some debts that I should like to have contracted. If you gentlemen in Congress will manage to liberally increase the one and decrease the other, I think I can come out about even."

A Plymouth correspondent of the Norfolk *Landmark* in a letter dated April 10th says:

Hon. C. L. Cobb, M. C. from this district, has been paying our people a short visit. He is very popular in the district, and is the most prominent candidate for renomination, and will, it is thought, be the nominee of the Republican party for re-election.

The Connecticut election resulted in a Democratic victory. There were various causes for this. Among them was the fact of a bitter feud existing between certain prominent would-be-leaders in the party, and the fact of a regular Temperance ticket which drew off many thousand votes. A few such defeats just now will be of service.

Some of our quill driving brethren over the border are warming up. One of them refers to another as "our Christian brother." Such personalities are unbecoming. No one likes to be called by a name he or she does not understand. SHERIDAN once mortally offended a fish woman by assailing her with geometrical terms.

How many there are in the world who are fond of pleasure and yet fail to enjoy it rationally. With most people it is as the poet BURNS describes it:

> *Pleasures are like poppies spread,*
> *You seize the flower; its bloom is shed;*
> *Or like the snow—falls in the river,*
> *A moment white—then melts forever.*

The Hygea Hotel at Fortress Monroe was sold on the 9th inst. for $27,000 to JOHN M. WEST, of Petersburg, Va. It originally cost, with fixtures and furniture, over $60,000.

There is a rooster in Quincy, Ill., with four legs of his own. —*Ex.*

What a political candidate he would make, that is if he can run in proportion and crow correspondingly.

There was but little of public interest in either branch of Congress the past week. The Currency and Banking bills were the principle subjects of discussion.

A Texas paper says: "There is an old maxim, that 'Truth crushed to earth will rise again.'" To which an exchange replies: "So she will, every time. But she often gets up with her visage so battered that her best friends don't recognize her."

OUR CORRESPONDENCE

The Republican Members of Congress from North Carolina. Their influence and services.

WASHINGTON,
April 4th, 1874.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

As the time approaches for making nominations for members of Congress, to represent the good "Old North State," for the next two years, I take the llberty of saying a good word for the members of the present Congress I reside in the second Congressional District of North Carolina, but have spent much of my time, for the last four years, in this city.

It would be impossible to speak in too high terms of your Representative. The well known ability of Mr. Cobb, his urbanity of manners, his zeal in the performance of duty, his devotiou to liberty, and his firm adherence to the principles of the great Republican Party, are recognized everywhere. But it is not to these qualificalions that I desire to call the attention of the people of your district.

Mr. Cobb is the only Southern Republican on the Committee on War Claims. He stands high on that Commitsee, and if he should be re-elected to Congress, he wonld be entitled to the chairmanship of it. The importance of such a position cannot be over-estimated. The Southern people are now claiming more than sixty millions of dollars from the government, in payment for property which was taken during the war. How much of this is to be paid to our impoverished section depends, to a great degree, upon the Committee on War Claims. It seems to me, at the present juncture of affairs, that it would be most unwise for the people of the First District to throw away the golden opportunity which is now presented to them, of having a controlling voice in the legislation of the country, upon the subject of indemnifying the Southern people for the immense losses which they sustained ten years ago. Not only the entire State of North Carolina, but every Southern State feels an intense interest in your action, and I feel sure, that if the people of your district saw matters as we know them here, Mr. Cobb would be triumphantly re-elected without opposition. Whilst I would not say one word in disparagment of other aspirants, if there be such, it is absolutely certain, that no new member, however worthy and able, could be of the same benefit to your people, as one, who is intimately acquainted with the leading members of Congress, who has strong personal friends among them, and who is thoroughly conversant with parliamentary rules.

Judge Thomas, of my district, is also a very able and distinguished member of this Congress. He holds an important position on several committees and exercises a marked influence. His integrity is universally acknowledged, and his firm and steady adherance to the principles of truth and justice have won for him the admiration of all parties. The people of the second District could not do better than to keep their present representative in Congress, as long as he lives. The South obtained her supremacy in the councils of the nation, and kept it for more than thirty years, by electing good men to Congress, and keeping them there. Our people well understood then the importance of having trained statesmen, and the South will soon resume her former eminent position, if she will send back again and again her true men to the halls of legislation.

Hon. Wm. A. Smith, though a new member, exercises much influence. His popular manners and generous heart have already won for him a host of friends, and he is rapidly rising to that high position, which can only be acquired by time and experience. It would be well for the people of the metropolitan district to keep their tried friends.

I have but slight acquaintance with the Democratic members from our State. They all have the reputation of being very clever gentlemen. They belong to the minority party, and having but little experience, of course, cannot exercise much influence upon the legislation of the country.

If you see fit to give this hastily written article a place in your columns, I may write again.

OBSERVER.

[For the "North Carolinian."]

North Carolina Women During the Revolution. No. 1.

The self denying pairitism of woman has been a subject of pride and exultation in every country and age, and in no country has that noble trait in female character been more fully illustrated than in ours during the trying times of the Revolution. It is right and proper that the noble deeds and sayings of these heroic women should not be forgotten. They ought to be recorded, and read by our women, in every generation. I propose to furnish a few incidents in the lives of these women in the hope that it may interest the female readers of the NORTH CAROLINIAN. I would gladly draw a veil over the unhappy incidents of our late civil war, but the readers of your paper will naturally and necessarily recur to the heroic bravery, self-denial, and trying labor of the mothers, daughters, and sisters of our noble soldiers. The time has not yet arrived to publish a history of the many thrilling incidents that occurred during the late war. They will be treasured in the memory of the people, and, at the proper time, some historian will give them to the world. I am indebted for a portion of the incidents which I propose to chronicle, in part, to Mrs. Elliott's "History of the Women of the Revolution," to "Wheeler's History of North Carolina," and to old files of the *Peoples and Howetts Journal.*

MRS. WILEY JONES, AND MRS. ASHE.

These noble women resided in Halifax county, were sisters and the daughters of Col. Montfort. They were remarkable for personal beauty, brilliancy of wit, and refined and elegant manners. It is related of Mrs. Jones that she was loved devotedly and enthusiastically by every human being who knew her.

When the army under Lord Cornwallis was marching from Wilmington to Virginia in 1781, it stopped a few days on the bank of the Roanoke in Halifax county. The officers quartered among the families. The ladies made a virtue of a necessity and did what they could to entertain them, knowing they were entirely within their power, as all the able men in the community were off in the continental army. Upon one occasion, several officers were at Mrs. Jone's. It will be remembered, by those who have read the account of the battles of the Cow Pens, that Colonel Tarleton, of the British army, was pursued and wounded by a sabre cut from the sword of Col. Washington, of the Continental army. Col. Tarleton, in the presence of Mrs. Jones, when Col. Washington was alluded to, spoke of him in very approbrious terms, as an illiterate, ignorant fellow, hardly able to write his name. Mrs. Jones was indignant, as she knew Col. Washington was a gentleman, a brave and gallant officer, and a favorite of hers, and she uttered the following retort: "Oh, Colonel, you ought to know better, for you bear on your person proof, that he knows very well how to make his mark."

On the next day while Gen'l Leslie, of the British army, and his staff was quartered on Mrs. Ashe, Col. Tarleton with other officers dined with her. She was irritated at being compelled to provide for and wait on a party she so much hated. In the course of conversation Col. Tarleton, in the same sarcastic strain, remarked that he would be glad to see Col. Washington, for he had understood that he was a diminutive and ungainly person. Mrs. Ashe replied, "If you had looked behind you at the battle of the Cow Pens, Col. Tarleton, you would have enjoyed that pleasure." He was chafed at being thus unpleasantly snubbed, and involuntarily laid his hand on the hilt of his sword. Gen'l Leslie seeing the movement checked him and remarked, "Say what you please Mrs. Ashe, Col. Tarleton knows better than to insult a lady in my presence."

These noble sisters, as did all the women of that day, plied the cards, wheels and looms in spinning and weaving cloth to clothe the soldiers. They literally fed the hungry and clothed the naked.

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Elizabeth City, N. C., April 9th 1874.

Enthusiastic Republican Meeting in Martin County. Addresses by Hon. C. L. Cobb and others.

In pursuance of a call issued by the Republican Ex. Committee of Martin county a large and enthusiastic mass meeting assembled in the Court House in Williamston, on April 9th. The meeting was organized by calling John Watts Esq. to the chair, and appointing Mr. W. A. Johnson as Secretary. The Chairman in a few apt and appropriate remarks explained the object of the meeting, that it was a day set apart by the Republicans of Martin county for the purpose of an exchange of views with the leading friends in the 1st Congressional District, and to give stability and force to the future actions of the Republican Party.

Letters were read from the following gentlemen: Mr. Bagley, of Perquimans, Mr. Moore, of Chowan and Mr. McD. Lindsey, of Perquimans.

Our representative in Congress Mr. Cobb being present was called upon to address the meeting. which he did in a speech of force and effect. He was loudly cheered and his speech gave great satisfaction to the meeting. After Mr. C. had concluded loud calls were made for Jos. J. Martin, Esq. who responded in an eloquent speech which was warmly received by the audience.

The meeting was largely attended and characterized by harmony, good feeling and enthusiasm.

On motion it was ordered that the proceedings be sent to the NORTH CAROLINIAN and *Era* with a request that they be published.

After the adjournment of the meeting the large crowd "numbering hundreds," notwithstanding the rain which poured in torrents, formed in procession with music and banners and marched to Mr. Martin's Office where Mr. Cobb was, when Mr. A. W. Powers, as the spokesman of the assembly extended to Mr. Cobb a vote of thanks and esteem of the Republicans of Martin county for the bold and consistent stand he has always maintained for the principles of our party in the Congress of the United States. Being loudly called for Mr. Cobb again made his appearance and in a short speech thanked the Republicans of Martin county for this enthusiastic expression of their approbation and with three loud cheers for him the day's proceedings ended.

JOHN WATTS,
Chm'n.

W. A. JOHNSTON,
Sect'y.

Williamston, Martin co., Apr. 9, 1874.

Republican Town Meeting in Edenton.

A meeting of the Republicans of the Town of Edenton was held at the Court House on the night of April 11th, 1874, pursuant to a call of the Executive Committee for the purpose of nominating Town officers. The meeting was called to order by Wm. R. Haughton, one of the Executive Committee.

On motion S. S. Bookrum was called to the chair, and O. F. Gilbert was requested to act as Secretary. On motion the following named gentlemen were appointed a Committee of Five to report the names of suitable candidates for Town officers, viz.: Wm. R. Haughton, John W. Draper, Geo. R. Richardson, Daniel H. Smith, James Grigory.

During the absence of the Committee the meeting was eloquently addressed by prominent citizens of the Town.

The Committee on nominations reported the following Ticket for Town officers, viz.

For Mayor—James E. Norfleet; *For Commissioners of the Town*—S. S. Bookrum, K. R. Pendleton, Job Charlton, John Thompson, Wm. R. Haughton; *For Town Treasurer*—O. F. Gilbert; *For Fire Wardens*—Jacob Kafer, Ruffin Mebans, Henry Knaben; *For Commissioners of Navigation*—Charles Blair, Daniel H. Smith, John F. Lee; *For Town Constable*—William Heath.

On motion the thanks of meeting were tendered to the chairman and Secretary; and the Editors of the NORTH CAROLINIAN and Raleigh *Era* were requested to publish the proceedings of the Meeting.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

S. S. BOOKRUM,
Chairman.

O. F. GILBERT,
Secretary.

Items From Hertford.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

For the last two weeks the dearth of news has prevented our usual correspondence.

The Odd Fellows Lodge we alluded to some time since was established here on last Monday the 6th inst. Membership twelve (12).

Dr. Small has located here, as we previously intimated. We meet him with a warm welcome and we heartily wish him much success. We hope the Doctor will permit us to suggest, that he keep on hand a good supply of pills for the "heart disease." We understand he is unmarried and know him to be of fine appearance—result, complaint, on the part of some young lady, of an afflicted heart.

Our merchants received their New Goods on Friday night.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. B. W. Thatch, who died after an illness of about four weeks' duration. He was buried on the 10th inst. in the old family grave yard.

EGO.

Hertford, N. C., April 13th, 1874.

Proceedings of City Commissioners.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
Elizabeth City, N. C.,
April 6th, 1874

The City council met. Present His Honor Mayor Shaw and Commissioners Wm. Steger, T. A. Commander, L. Brothers and Jno. T. Price.

On motion it was ordered that the valuation of Dr. Underwood's property be reduced to Four Thousand Dollars, ($4000.)

Ordered that the Clerk give notice by printed posters that an election will be held at the court house, at Elizabeth City, on the 1st Monday in May, 1874, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and Five Commissioners for the corporation of E. City.

Ordered that G. W. Cobb be appointed Register of votes, and Henry Godfrey, T. R. oCbb and J. Russel Bass, Poll Inspectors for the Municipal Election to be held on the 1st Monday in May, 1874.

Ordered that the Clerk notify the Register and Poll Inspectors of their appointment.

Ordered that M. B. Culpepper, T. A. Commander and Jno. T. Price be appointed a committee to assist the old Constable in a settlement with the Treasurer.

Ordered that the officers of the corporation present their accounts at a meeting to be called by the Mayor with proper vouchers from the Treasurer.

Ordered that Isaac Martin be allowed the privilege to fence in 20 feet of the ground belonging to the corporation, in front of his house, subject to an order of the Mayor and Commissioners.

Ordered that an order be allowed Dr. P. John for $14 for publishing minutes, tax receipts and ordinances.

On motion the following orders were allowed.

To Wm. Krauss $120.34 error in tax list and $3.50 for buckets, kerosene, wood, &c.; Robert Hall $12.50 for laying bricks near the M. E. Church; J. W. Turner $5.30 for glass, chimneys, &c.; Chas. McDonald $2.50 for services rendered at night at the fire near the M. E. Church; Dr. Jos. Commander $5 for stationery, &c.

On motion an order for $30 was allowed W. W. Kennedy or to any other person named by the M. E. Church for which the church is to furnish the material and lay the balance of the pavement in front of said church.

On motion it was ordered that the officers of the corporation be allowed their fourth quarter salary being in full payment up to May 1st, 1874 services rendered

There being no further business the meeting adjourned subject to a call of the Mayor.

J. H. SHAW,
Mayor.

JOS. COMMANDER,
Clerk.

LIVER AND BLOOD DISEASE.

BY R. V. PIERCE, M. D.

A healthy liver secretes each day about two and a half pounds of bile, which contains a great amount of waste material taken from the blood. When the liver becomes torpid or congested, it fails to eliminate this vast amount of noxious substance, which, therefore, remains to poison the blood, and be conveyed to every part of the system. What must be the condition of the blood when it is receiving and retaining each day two and a half pounds of poison? Nature tries to work on this poison through other channels and organs—the kidneys, lungs, skin, etc., but these organs become over-taxed in performing this labor in addiition to their natural functions, and cannot long withstand the presure, but become variously diseased.

The brain, which is the great electrical center of all vitality, is unduly stimulased by the unhealthy blood, which passes to it from the heart and it fails to perform its office healthfully. Hence the symptoms of bile poisoning, which are dullness, headache, incapacity to keep the mind on any subject, impairment of memory dizzy, sleepy, or nervous feelings, gloomy forebodings, and irritability of temper. The blood itself being diseased, as it forms the sweat upon the surface of the skin it is so irritating and poisonous that it produces discolored brown spots, pimples, blotches, and other eruptions, sores, boils, carbuncles and scrofulous tumors. The stomach, bowels and other organs cannot escape becoming affected, sooner or later, and we have as the result, costiveness, piles, dropsy, dyspepsia, diarrhœa. Other symptoms are common, as bitter or bad taste in mouth, internal heat, palpitation, teasing cough unsteady appetite, choking sensation in thaoat, bloating of stomach, pain in sides or about shoulders or back, coldness of extremities, etc., etc. Only a few of the above symptoms are likely to be present in any case at one time. The liver being the great depurating or blood clernsing organ of the system—set this great "housekeeper of our health" at work, and the foul corruptions, which gender in the blood, and rot out, as it were, the machinery of life, are gradually expelled from the system. For this purpose Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery with very small doses daily of Dr. Pierce's Plesant Purgative Pellets are pre-eminently the articles needed. They cure every kind of humor from the worst scrofula to the common pimple, blotch or eruption. Great eating ulcers kindly heal under their mighty curative influence. Vrulent blood poisons that lurk in the system are by them robbed of their terrors, and by their preserving and somewhat protracted use the most tainted systems may be completely renovated and built up anew. Enlarged glands, tumors and swellings dwindle away and disappear under the influence of these great resolvents.

Burning Vs. Burying the Dead.

At a meeting in New York on the 3d inst., a society was established for the advocacy of the practise of cremation, or the disposal of the bodies of deceased persons by burning instead of burial. Some sixty gentlemen were present, among them Henry Bergh, the President of the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Dr. G. Lorillard, Dr. Samuel Sexton, Prof. J. W. S. Arnold, Dr. F. M. Weld and others. Letters from several representatives persons were read, some approving, some disapproving, and some neutral. Mr. C. A. Dano wrote that so far as he had been able to examine the subject he was in favor of the proposition. Mr. H. S. Ollcot wrote: "I pray heaven that before I or any of my beloved die, it may be possible to commit our bodies to the pure flame, that in one short hour will purge them of dross, as gold is refined in the furnace seven times heated." In the course of the discussion a clause leaving it optional with members of the society to authorize the disposal of their own remains by cremation or otherwise, was argued down, Mr. Bergh and others contending that they should be bound by their principles. Eventually the point was left open further discussion. It was thought by some that the wives and families of gentlemen favorable to the principle might prevent them from joining the society if the stringent rule were followed.

The question of cremation, the burning of the dead, against inhumation or burying of the dead, has gone no short distance on its way to acceptance when a public meeting in New York is called to discuss it. But it has gone furthur in Switzerland and Germany. At Zurich, where burial ground is growing contracted, 2,000 persons have subscribed toward an association founded in favor of burning the dead. At Basie the movement has received the public approval of orthodox clergyment—also on the ground of promotion of health in the community. In Germany the newspapers are talking the subjecet a great deal, while one firm in Berlin has advertised the invention of a new furnace in which to perform the operation. And last, a church warden of a Hebrew synagogue in the same city has proposed to establish on a new burial ground lately acquired one of these furnaces.

The wife of Long John Wentworth of Chicago was rich and eccentric. She died about two years ago in Troy, N. Y., where she had spent much of her later life in making and destroying wills. Now a suit is in progress, brought by Troy lawyers, for services in drawing up these discarded documents, the claims amounting to several thousand dollars. Mr. Wentworth resists the payment.

A story is related of a Chicago physician who is also an extensive real estate operator that recently he prscribed some pills for a lady at a time when he was very much absorbed in one of his land transactions. She asked how they were to be taken. "A quarter down," said the doctor, "and the ballance in one, two and three years."

Both branches of the Legislature of Iowa have voted to submit the question of woman suffrage to the people of that State at the next election. In the Ohio Constitutional Convention, upon the proposition to submit the question to the people there were 49 affirmative and 29 negative votes.

Said Lord John Russel to Hume at a social dinner, "What do you consider the object of legislation?" "The greatest good to the greatest number?" "What do you consider the greatest number?" continued his Lordship. "Number one, my Lord," was the commoner's reply.

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42—3m.

State of North Carolina } IN SUPERIOR COURT
Camden County. }

Isaac Burnham Guardian of Samuel Riddick
Plaintiff.

Against.

Jonathan Edey Def.

NOTICE TO SELL LAND TO SATISFY EXECUTION.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell the following tract of land, the property of the defendant on the 25th day of May 1874, at the Court House door in Camden County, being Monday of Court week, to wit: Bounded on the West by Horse Shoe tract, the land of B. L. Spencer. South by Pasquotank River, East by John Williams land and North by Baird & Roper's land containing 100 acres more or less, to satisfy an execution in my hands against the property of the Defendant.

D. D. FEREBEE
Sheriff.

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Respectfully,
Miss E. R. POOL,

Dinwiddie Co., Va., August 14, 1871.

I have owned a Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine for 18 years and I have done the finest, as well as the heaviest work upon it. For 3 years during the war, a colored girl in my employ made soldiers' clothing upon it. It is still in good order, and has never cost me but 25 cents for repairs. If I had to purchase another Machine, I would have none but a Wheeler & Wilson. Mrs. WM. P. DAVIS.

This is to certify that this Machine, No. 5,230, is the same one that we purchased in the year 1856, and have been using ever since, until the present time, when we have exchange it for a new one. JULIA S. SELDEN.

Norfolk, Va., June 3, 1873.

Mr. T. B. WILKINS

Will attend to any orders left at the ALBEMARLE HOUSE.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Nov. 22.

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A distinguished clergymen of New York speaking of this remedy characterizes it as "one of the special blessings of the nineteenth century." The certainty of its healing effect, said he, and the immunity from danger whether administered to children or adults adapt it for the widely popular use it has attained." None would long suffer from lung complaint if they knew how easily they can be cured by this remedy. By its timely use all pulmonary diseases may be arrested and consumption—the scourge that sweeps away thousands every year—would be checked in its beginning. Persons with a seated cough, which breaks their rest at night, will find by taking the Expectorant on going to bed they will enjoy unbroken sleep and refreshing rest. Having a very pleasant taste, it is easily administered to children. Sold by all druggists. Laboratory 48 and 50 Cortlandt street, New York. 38-1y

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NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, APR 15, 1874.

TO NORTHERN VISITORS.

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisements in this issue.
Dissolution Notice.
Twenty-Five Dollars Reward.

Local and Personal.

The lower Fisheries are making large hauls. Those nearer town have not been doing so well the past week.

We learn that the Steamer *Wm. Gates* on her trip to Norfolk on Monday blew out her safety valve at Deep Creek. No one was hurt.

The latest quotations are at New York: Gold 113⅞. Cotton 17¼c. Corn 85 @ 80c. At Norfolk, Cotton 15c. No change in corn.

There will be a meeting of the Rechabites in the old Odd Fellows Hall on Tuesday night next for the purpose of electing officers.

The Republicans of Chowan county will hold a Convention on the 25, for the purpose of appointing delegates to attend the Congressional and Senatorial Conventions.

Signal or Life Saving Stations are in process of erection, or marked out, at the following points on our coast, to wit: Kitty Hauk, Body's Island, Chickamacomico and Kennekeet.

An intelligent friend has kindly offered to furnish us a series of articles on "North Carolina Women during the Revolution." We know that they will be read with interest by every patron of the NORTH CAROLINIAN.

Spring has been struggling the past two weeks through all manner of difficulties, now a heavy rain, now a cold blow and then a frost. At this writing it looks as though she had triumphed at last.

On the 6th inst. an Odd Fellow's Lodge was organized at Hertford. Several prominent members of the order from this place were present. It is named the "Albemarle Lodge." We understand that it starts under very favorable auspices.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the young lady who has been watching through the whole winter with jealous care what she supposed to be a rare and valuable *lily bulb*, and then told by an experienced gardener that it was "only an onion!" It is too much for poor human nature to bear.

The Republicans of Martin county held a rousing Mass Meeting at Williamston on Thursday last. Speeches were made by Hon. C. L. COBB, JOS. J. MARTIN, Esq., and others. Mr. COBB was there by special invitation, and a correspondent informs us that the reception given him was very enthusiastic.

In reply to numerous inquiries as to whether the Albemarle Agricultural Society will hold a Fair this season we state that it will. It will probably be in the month of October. In the meanwhile let Farmers and others prepare for it. Let them get ready to have the very best samples of corn, wheat, oats and fruits. Begin in time.

It cost less than a cent a day to take your weekly paper—less than a diligent hen would earn in a year at the market price of eggs. It costs less than one cigar a week, less than four drinks of whiskey a month—think of it. A penny a day can be saved in many a better way than by not subscribing for a news paper. Take the NORTH CAROLINIAN.

The Schooner *J. W. Hinton*, now lying on the Ways for repairs at the Ship Yard of LAWRENCE & MARTIN, will be launched in a few days. This Schooner was built about nineteen years ago under the direction of our townsman Capt. JOSEPH LAWRENCE. She went ashore and was damaged a short time since on the Point of Beach near Look Out Shoals.

At a meeting of the State Central Committee held at Raleigh on the 9th int. the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Chairman of this meeting name one gentleman for each Judicial District, excepting the 3d and 6th Districts, whose duty it shall be to call the Judicial Conventions for such Districts.

Under this resolution the chairman appointed GEO. W. COBB Esq., of Elizabeth City, for the First District.

There are some problems which nothing short of infinite wisdom can solve. One of these is the possible use of some beings found in almost every community. They earn nothing, produce nothing, and yet manage to subsist off somebody. The excuse that the "world owes me a living" is not a valid one. It is a question whether or no the man who is unwilling to *earn* his living ought not to be made do so or left to starve. Idleness and laziness are two things we can't tolerate.

Decidedly cool—aspirants for office writing us, soliciting our "candid support in and out of the nominating Convention," and yet not contributing one cent toward sustaining the party organ! Our answer is: *"Not if this Court knows itself."* The man who has'nt pride or spirit enough to subscribe and *pay for* his party paper is presuming a good ways in expecting place and position from the party, and he is presuming a good deal further in asking the editor to advance his interests. No such man can have *our* "support" in, out or *after* the Convention. We mean exactly what we say.

To supply the large demand of our paper last week we were obliged to issue a number of half sheets. An additional order was received last night for this weeks issue. Not reaching us until our outside was struck off we are again obliged to fill it with our inside matter on half sheets. The desire to read the NORTH CAROLINIAN is rapidly on the increase.

Capt. DAVID CROKER, well known in Eastern North Carolina, was either shoved or knocked overboard from his Barge off Wades Point and drowned on Thursday last. A reward is offered in our advertising colums for the recovery of his body. A negro named WHITEHURST was charged by CROKER's wife with murdering her husband whereupon he jumped overboard and drowned himself.

We now have reliable reports from nearly every county in the Congressional District, and the general expression is in favor of the renomination of Hon. C. L. COBB. The people rightly feel that with his consistent record, his faithful service and his long experience, he is not only the strongest man in the District but that he will be able to do more for the people of Eastern North Carolina, and especially in obtaining government aid for the great internal improvements we now so much need, than it would be possible for a new man to accomplish. It is more important now than ever that he should be returned.

Thousands of people in the Northern States, are now looking for new homes, seeking locations in which their condition in life may be bettered. Capitalists all over the North and East are casting about to find available spots where they may invest their means in business enterprises that will yield a profitable reward. To both these classes—to all who have means we say: Come to Elizabeth City, look at its advantages, and see whether you cannot find in them the promise of rich returns for your outlay of capital. With our location and surroundings there are possibilities here few places possess.

A PLEASURE EXCURSION.—Col. W. B. Rogers, the popular President of the Dismal Swamp Canal Company, and a party of friends, left here yesterday morning on a pleasure excursion through the canal to Elizabeth City. They will be absent several days, and intend visiting some of the most important fisheries in the Old North State.—*Norfolk Landmark of Friday.*

The distinguished party arrived here in due time and, with a select number of our citizens, left in the *Harbinger* on Friday morning for the Sound Fisheries A very kind invitation was tendered us to accompany the excursion, but previous engagements compelled us to decline. After spending a few days enjoying the *good things* thoughtfully provided and visiting the different Fisheries, the party returned, all delighted with the trip.

Another political campaign is about to open upon us. It may be an exciting one and it is possible that party strife will run high. Be this as it may the NORTH CAROLINIAN will continue in the even tenor of its way, discussing political questions in the calm and dispassionate manner that it treats all other questions. While in its politics it is Republican—firm and decided—it will appeal to the reason and judgment of its readers rather than to their prejudices and passions. Nor shall politics absorb undue attention. The great material interests with which it has ever been identified as an advocate will not be neglected. It will continue striking vigorous blows for development and improvement and progress; and while all may not be ready to fully endorse its politics, they can sustain it in these earnest efforts to promote the public good. On this platform all can stand. In this field there can be a unity of feeling and a cooperation of effort.

It was the pleasure of the Editor a short time ago to spend an evening with a few friends, and during the conversation, among several subjects discussed, was *the* one ever interesting to every true man—WOMAN. One of the company, a cynical old bachelor, went back to the beginning and gave it as *his* opinion that when the Creator decided upon this creation he said to the listening angels: "Having created man we will make a companion for him, and because she will bring grief and sorrow unto him, whereby he may the better know how to appreciate pleasure, we will name her *woman.*" In "other days" he had been *jilted*, and of course wasn't prepared to treat the subject quite fairly. But more ascetic tempers than his have been sweetened—and later in life too than his years have numbered—by one of these very creations. He isn't too old to be converted. Said another: "In order to make a fitness in things terrestial the Creator took the most crooked part of man, and out of the rib consummated the *perfection of creation.*" He is happily mated and spoke as he felt. Said a third: "Thus was woman born and from that grand event on down to the present has earth been blessed with her beauty and her lovliness." He is deeply in love, expects to be married before the Spring months pass away, and of course was eloquent as all of Cupid's votaries are. It came the Editor's turn to speak. On such a theme he couldn't be dumb. Having enjoyed the full blessings of this final and best gift to man in the relation of mother, sister, sweetheart and wife, he felt that he could not better epitomise the story than in the language of Scotland's bard when he says:

> "Auld nature swears the lovely dears,
> Her noblest work she classes, oh!
> Her prentice hand, she tried on man,
> An' then she made the lasses, oh!"

LOCAL PORT-FOLIO.

Got in a pretty pickle—Lot's wife. Stove watchers—lazy husbands. "The light fantastic tow"—very, very blonde hair. A journalistic indignation—paper choler. An aid that will soon come to the female crusaders—lemonade. Bad for the brain—to cram a child at school. Bad for the stomach—to cram it at the table.

LOCAL BRIEFS.—Remember the Republican Nominating Convention for Municipal officers on Friday night.—R. F. Overman Esq. has returned.—Federal Court here next week.—If the blossoms are an indication there will certainly be a good crop of apples, pears and cherries.—THOS A. SYKES has come home again.—The frost on Sunday night nipped the early beans, tomatoes, &c.—Some of the local politicians are beginning to show considerable activity. We repeat our advice to keep cool, as it is yet a long while 'til election.—Our friend W. R. HAUGHTON, of Edenton, was in town this week.—The clerk failed to hand in the proceedings of the county Commissioners.

Business Locals.

Fencing boards, Shingle lath, Shingles, Weatherboards and Lumber of all kinds for sale at the Sheppard Street Mill.

Fowler, on Water Street, keeps on the even tenor of his way, selling goods low for cash and sticking to the rule of "one price only."

FOR RENT.

A good room in the CAROLINIAN Building, well adapted for a first class office is offered for rent. Apply to
42-tf. P. JOHN.

NOTICE! NOTICE!!

On and after April the 12th, I will close my books, and all work done at my shop must be paid for at time of delivery.

Respectfully,
H. O. HILL.
41-1m.

The Spring campaign has already opened at the popular business house of Lowenburg & Jacobs 22 & 24, Market Square, Norfolk, Va. All cash orders promptly filled and at figures that cannot fail to give satisfaction.

To the Republicans of Elizabeth City.

The Republicans of Elizabeth City are invited to meet in Convention at the Court House, on Friday evening, April 17th, at 7½ o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for municipal officers, &c.

P. JOHN,
Chm'n Rep. Ex. Committee.
April 8th, 1874.-2t.

The American Sardine Company's Boneless Sardines are much better, and less than half the cost of imported Sardines. 36—1yr.

Now is the time for Bald Mountain to crack open and "bust" if it ever intends to. The New York *Herald* has a correspondent on each side of the summit

MARRIAGES.

GRANDY—PENDLETON.—At this place, on Wednesday, the 8th inst., at the residence of J. E. Fenwick Esq., by Rev. Mr. Galloudet, Mr. J. P. GRANDY to Miss ALICE PENDLETON, both of this place. No cards.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE ALBEMARLE HOUSE

J. W. Grandy, A. S. Oonklin, R. F. Draudall, W. G. Rritt, J. W. Haumill, Capt. D. S. Cherry, Col. W. B. Rodgers, Maj. A. S. Martin, Dr. J. W. Webb, Col. J. F. Owens, Capt. Harry Roberts, Dr. Nixon, H. N. Johnson, Miss Toodwine, H. R. Livesay, Chas. Chase, Norfolk, Virginia; H. E. Stilley, S. W. Stilley, Washington, N. C.; W. R. Haughton, Edenton; A. L. Fallet, Albert Lawrence, Currituck; H. F. Carrow, Texas; J. Nicholson, Charlie Nicholson, Belvidere; C. W. Small, W. C. Long, Perquimans; Dr. P. F. Brown, Accomac, Va.; N. O. Edom, Cresswell, N. C.; J. L. Lomax, Baltimore, Md.; R. J. Gregory, Durants Neck, N. C.

SUSTAIN THE SINKING SYSTEM.—The flashes of excitement produced by the stimulants in ordinary use, are followed by a reaction that is always more or less injurious. Just as the darkness, illuminated for a moment by the lightning's glare, becomes apparently blacker than ever after the flash is over, so the mental gloom and physical debility that vanish temporarily under the influnce of a dram, return with a ten-fold intensity when the first transient effect ceases. Yet physicans habitually prescribe the liquors of commerce for patients suffering from bodily weaknese and mental despondency. The true remedy in such cases is a pure stimulant medicated with the finest tonics and alternatives which the vegetable kingdom affords, and Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the only preparrtion at present known which thoroughly meets the emergency. The effect of this popular restorative is continuous. Each dose taken invigorates the vital energies and the brain, and its prolonged use will unquestionably cure any case of debility, hypachondria or mental torpidity that does not arise from organic causes beyond the reach of medicine. It is, in the strictest sense of the word, an invigorating and regulating cordial. If the nerves are tremulous and relaxed it braces them; if the bowels are constipated, it releives them; if the liver is torpid, it promotes activity in that organ; if the mind is gloomy it clears away the clouds; if the appetite is poor and digestion a slow and painful operation, it creates a relish for food, and anables the stomach to convert it into healthful aliment. Moreover, it is specific for a large number of ailments, some of which are particularly prevalent in the damp and chilly weather which we so often experience in mid winter. Among these may be mentioned rhematism, chills and fever, and all the morbid conditions of the digestive and secretive organs superinduced by sudden changes of temperature and the inclemencies ofthe season.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OBSTACLES TO MARRIAGE

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State of North Carolina, Martin County: } SUPERIOR COURT.

Henry B. Roboson, Plaintiff.
Against
William E. Ford and wife Annie E., L. D. Marshall and wife S. A., J. Hodges and wife Augusta, G. D. Cherry, L. C. Cherry, M. E. Cherry and W. P. Cherry, Defendants.

PETITION TO SELL LAND FOR A DIVISION.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the return made by the Sheriff and affidavit of the Plaintiff that the Defendants W. E. Ford and wife Annie E., L. D. Marshal, & wife S. A., J. Hodges & wife Aug'sta, G. D. Cherry, L. C. Cherry M. E. Cherry & W. P. Cherry, cannot be found in this county, and are supposed to reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the North Carolinian, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, for six weeks successively, notifying them to be and appear before this Court at the Clerk's office in Williamston on Monday the 9th day of March next, there and then to plead, answer or demur, to the complaint of the above named plaintiff otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso as to them, and an order of sale granted accordingly.

Witness Joseph M. Siterson, clerk of said Court, at Williamston, this 27th, day of January 1874.

JOS. M. SITERSON,
Superior Court Clerk.
32-6t.

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WM. C. DAWSON.
E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

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Give me a trial.

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy:

In the matter of Riddick Gatling a Bankrupt—ss

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filled in said court by Riddick Gatling of Gates county, and State of North Carolinn, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and cirtificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the offiice of T. W. Coston, Regester in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the ssme, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same times and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C. on the 17th, day of March a: d 1874.
39-3t M. B. CULPEPPER, *Clerk.*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE!—

Estate of F. D. Bunnell, Dec'd.

Having taken out Letters of Administration upon the estate of F. D. Bunnell dec'd, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit the same to me properly authenticated, on or before the first day of April, 1875, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to Intestate are required to make immediate payment to me.

GEO. W. CHARLES,
Administrator.
Elizabeth City, N. C.. March 18, 1874-6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—

Estate of L. M. Chapman

Having qualified as Administrator upon the estate of L. M. Chapman deceased, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to come forward and make payment; and all persons having claims against the said estate are notified to present such claims within the period prescribed by law for settlement, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery

J. S. WILCOX, Administrator,
March 16th, 1874. per Attorney.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of D. M. Lee.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of D. M. Lee of Currituck County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee.
36 3t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of K. R. Pendleton.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of K. R. Pendleton of Perquimans Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee,
30-4t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy:

In the matter of L. W. Lamb, Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by L. W. Lamb of Camden Co., and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth, City, N. C., on the 17th day of Mar. a. d. 1874.
M B. CULPEPPER,
39-3t. Clerk

NOTICE IN BANKRUPECY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of M. J. Raynor a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by M. J Raynor of Bertie county, and State. of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C. on the 17th day of Mar., a. d. 1874.
39-3t. M. B. CULPEPPER, Clerk.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

PUBLIC SALE.

A. Wilder and Son vs Schr. Spray & owners | W. W. Griffin vs Schr. Spray & owners.

By authority of the Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act for the Relief of Mechanics and others, known as the Mechanic's "Lien Law;"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, To all whom it may concern:—That on the 30th day of April next ensuing at 12 o'clock M., at the foot of "Long Bridge" on the premises of A. McIlarney, Elizabeth City, N. C., will be SOLD at public auction for cash the Schooner "Spray," to satisfy and pay the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty-three Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing A. Wilder & Son for work and labor, &c., on said Schooner; also the further sum of Sixty-seven Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing W. W. Griffin for lumber furnished for repairs of said Schooner "Spray" as per accounts filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pasquotank County, N. C., as also to pay all costs attending this sale.

W. W. GRIFFIN.
Elizabeth City, N. C., Jan. 28th, 1874.
33-12t.—(for pr. $10.)

NOTICE IN BANKRUPCY.

District Court of the United States, for the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 19th day of Feb. A. D. 1874 a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of J. E. Mitchell, of Bertie County, and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use; and the transfer of any property of by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his state, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of Mar. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, U. S. Marshal,
WM. GLOVER Deputy U. S. as Messenger.
36-3t.

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WOMEN MEN, Girls and Boys wanted to sell our French and American Jewelery, Books, Games, &c., in their own localities. No capital needed. Catalogue, Terms, &c., sent FREE. P. O. VICKERY & Augusta, Maine.

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From Elizabeth City, N. C., to Norfolk, Va., and for Columbia, Spruill's Bridge, Hertford and Stony Landing.

One of the Steamers of this line—consisting of the "Elizabeth City," the "William Gates," and the "Thomas Jefferson,"—will leave the Company's Wharf daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 o'clock, A. M. for Norfolk, via D. Swamp Canal. Making all the landings on the route.

Until further notice no Boat to Norfolk on Saturdays, and no Boat from Norfolk on Mondays.

The Steamer Harbinger connected with the Norfolk steamer, will leave Elizabeth City for Columbia and Spruill's Bridge every Tuesday, at 4 o'clock A. M., Returning on Wednesday, for Hertford and Stony Landing every Thursday at 7 o'clock, A. M., and returning on Friday.

Freight for the above places received daily from sunrise to sundown. For further informatiou apply to

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A NEW STORE

ON

Water Street,

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The subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to the people of Elizabeth City and surrounding country that he has taken possession of the brick building one door North of Fowlers on Water Street, Elizabeth City, N. C., in which he has a complete assortment of

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comprising almost everything in the line, such as

DRY GOODS,
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SHOES,
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such as,

SUGAR,
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TEA,
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All of which he will sell at PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

W. C. McCUTCHEON,
Elizabeth City, N C., Jan. 14, 1874.-tf.

ADVERTISEMENTS

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Fresh from the New York Markets, at prices lower than have been reached before in this Market.

All the New and Fashionable Goods constantly kept on Hand.

This Stock will be kept replenished from the best Markets in the Country. Clothing made to order and fit guaranteed. Call and see our goods.

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BANKRUPT SALE OF REVERSIONARY INTERESTS.

Will be Sold on Monday, April 20th next before the Court House door in the county of Currituck between the hours of 10 and, o'clock the Reversionary Interest of J. W. Baxter and on Saturdry, April 25th next, before the Court House door in the county o Dare betweeu the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock the Reversionary Interests of Samuel Mann in the lands surrendered by the above named parties in their schedule in Bankruptcy. The sales are made in pursuance of law and parties purchasing will have made to them a deed in fee upon complying with the terms which is cash.

JAMES L. BALL,
Assignee.
March 3rd, 1874.

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By the author of "NIGHT SCENES IN THE BIBLE" and "Our Father's House," of which nearly 200,000 have been sold. "Home Life" is commended by ministers of all churches as "the author's best book," "full of precious thoughts," "Truths precious as gems," "a choice book for every family," &c. Steel engravings, rose tinted paper, rich binding and for rapid sale unequalled. Agents, Young Men, Ladies, Teachers and Clergymen, wanted in every county; $75 to $100 per month. Send for circular.

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$40.00 Per Ton.

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GROUND BONE, warranted, $43.0
GROUND & LUMP PLASTER, GUANO
300,000 Bushels SHELL LIME.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of A. H. Coffield.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment a Assignee of A. H. Coffield of Martin County, who has been ajudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

WILSON G. LAMB, Assignee,
30-3t. Williamston, N.C.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That on the 23d of Mar., A. D. 1874, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States of the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of C. L. Stokely of Pasquotank Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged bankrupt on creditors petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees on his state, will be held a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 22d day of April. A. D. 1874 at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, U. S. Marshal,
WM. GLOVER, Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger.
41-3t.

Adulterated Fertilizers.

Some weeks since we published the results of an analysis of several specimens of "Peruvian Guano" manufactured in New York, a fraud upon purchasers. The Georgia Agricultural Society has published the results of an analysis of seven additional commercial fertilizers sold in that State, appending to the name of each its commercial value, according to the analysis, and thus affording purchasers a means of judging with reference to the fairness of the prices for which they are sold. The leading fertilizer analyzed was found to contain 21.53 per cent. of sand, and the Albany (Ga) *News* remarks:

"The disclosures made by Professor White's analysis are mortifying and provoking. That so many honorable mercantile houses should have so long persisted in defrauding the agricultural interests of the country, by selling worthless dirt and stinking acids to planters, at fabulous prices, is a source of shame and humiliation.

"In 1870 these frauds were prepetrated on a gigantic scale, and we doubt not cost the South more than the carper bag reconstruction governments. Who can estimate the damage to Southern planters? The actual outlay of money was enormous, and the utter failure to realize corresponding profits so embarrassed planters that the "advance" and "lien" system became necessary upon every plantation, and interest to 30 to 60 per cent. has been worse than all the stealings of all the thieves turned loose and protected by the Reconstruction acts.

"Our advice to the planters of Southwestern Georgia is to stick to there own dirt, and enrich it by home-made manures. Thesr own nave soil is richer than that they buy at fifty, sixty and eighty dollars per ton, and with proper culture, and proper industry, it will yield satisfactory harvests."

This advice will apply to other parts of the country as well as Georgia. Good stable and farm-yard manure, well prepared, is the best guano for the farm in the long run.

A Priceless Recipe for Farmers.

Every farmer who has to fence his land knows too well how quickly posts planted in the earth become rotten, especially in a damp spot. All of them will welcome the following process as wonderful in its effects as it is simple and almost costless. It is taken from *Le Bien Public*, of Dijon, France.

Take linseed oil, boil it, and mix it with charcoal dust until the mixture has the consistence of an ordinary paint. Give to the posts a single coat of the mixture or paint before planting them, and no farmer even living to the age of patriarchs of old, will live long enough to see the same posts rotten.

"Some years ago I discovered the way of rendering wood more durable in earth than iron itself," says the author of the communication, "but it seemed to me to simple, and so inexpensive, that I did not think it while to make ado and fuss about it. Posts of soft wood thus prepared were removed after remaining seven years in the earth, and were found as sound as when they were planted. The only precaution to take is to use only well dried posts before covering them with the charcoal paint."

The above recipe is certainly cheap, and seems to be well worth the trial. If what is said of the efficiency of that simple and cheap (about two cents per post) process be half true, certainly it would save yearly milions of dollars to the farmers and telegraph companies. If it is said that the farmer, even in his teens, who will plant posts having received a coat of this "Perpetuity Post Paint," will never live long enough to see the same posts rotten.—*Philips's Southern Farmer.*

Splitting Rails.

Almost every farmer can split rails, but there is considerable science in the after all. One man will rive them with apparent ease, while another will tug away and exhaust his strength in a few hours. The reason of this difference is owing to the weight and shape of tools, and the knowledge of their use. One man makes a constant waste of his strength, while another will apply it only at an essential point, and just when the beetle is descending and strikes the wedge. An experienced rail splitter tells us that the best maul is made of a knot, and should be of medium weight, not so heavy but that a man can swing it with ease. One iron wedge, at least, should be kept and used for starting the split; is not apt to rebound, but if it should, it may be easily prevented by making a few checks with an [illegible] together, and starting the wedge between them, or by rubbing the wedge in dirt. It is hard enough to split rails at the best, and we believe it a folly for any man to attempt the work without obtaining the proper prerequisites. One has no right to exhaust physical powers and ruin his constitution by using poor tools, when the best can be obtained at a trifling expense. Great advantage is gained, when making rails, by opening large logs with a charge of powder.—*Ohio Farmer.*

Ayrshire Cows.

In a few things the Scotch dairy farmers are of one mind, and have been for years; they seek to have animals whose whole energies are devoted to milk produce. Experience has informed them that a certain form, characterized by great depth of the hinder parts of the animal, with good width of hips, and without further largeness forward than the internal organs demand for the exercise of their appropriate functions, is indispensable to economic milk production. This they have realized, in a large measure, by design. But they have also striven to give their animals a particular form of milk vessel—as the Scotch call it—one that shall be of largest capacity, yet carried in a manner to least annoy the animal walking or lying down, and least exposed to the effects of changes of temperature. This is an udder possessed only by the purely Ayshire breed.

What is Meant by a One Horse Power?

The power of prime movers is measured by horse power. Watt found that the strongest London draught horses were capable of doing work equivalent to raising 33,000 pounds one foot high per minute, and he took this as unit of power for the steam engine. The horse is not capable of doing so great a quantity of work. Rankine gave 26,000 as the figure for a mean of several experiments, and it is probable that 25,000 foot pounds is a fair minute's work for a good animal. It would require five or six men to do the work of one horse. Watt's estimate has, by general consent among engineers, become the standard of power measurement for all purposes.—*Scientific American.*

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Dr. J. Walker's California Vinegar Bitters are a purely Vegetable preparation, made chiefly from the native herbs found on the lower ranges of the Sierra Nevada mountains of California, the medicinal properties of which are extracted therefrom without the use of Alcohol. The question is almost daily asked, "What is the cause of the unparalleled success of VINEGAR BITTERS?" Our answer is, that they remove the cause of disease, and the patient recovers his health. They are the great blood purifier and a life-giving principle, a perfect Renovator and Invigorator of the system. Never before in the history of the world has a medicine been compounded possessing the remarkable qualities of VINEGAR BITTERS in healing the sick of every disease man is heir to. They are a gentle Purgative as well as a Tonic, relieving Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver and Visceral Organs, in Bilious Diseases.

If men will enjoy good health, let them use VINEGAR BITTERS as a medicine, and avoid the use of alcoholic stimulants in every form.

No Person can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and vital organs wasted beyond repair.

Grateful Thousands proclaim VINEGAR BITTERS the most wonderful Invigorant that ever sustained the sinking system.

Bilious, Remittent, and Intermittent Fevers, which are so prevalent in the valleys of our great rivers throughout the United States, especially those of the Mississippi, Ohio, Missouri, Illinois, Tennessee, Cumberland, Arkansas, Red, Colorado, Brazos, Rio Grande, Pearl, Alabama, Mobile, Savannah, Roanoke, James, and many others, with their vast tributaries, throughout our entire country during the Summer and Autumn, and remarkably so during seasons of unusual heat and dryness, are invariably accompanied by extensive derangements of the stomach and liver, and other abdominal viscera. In their treatment, a purgative, exerting a powerful influence upon these various organs, is essentially necessary. There is no cathartic for the purpose equal to DR. J. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS, as they will speedily remove the dark-colored viscid matter with which the bowels are loaded, at the same time stimulating the secretions of the liver, and generally restoring the healthy functions of the digestive organs.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the region of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offsprings of Dyspepsia. One bottle will prove a better guarantee of its merits than a lengthy advertisement.

Scrofula, or King's Evil, White Swellings, Ulcers, Erysipelas, Swelled Neck, Goitre, Scrofulous Inflammations, Indolent Inflammations, Mercurial Affections, Old Sores, Eruptions of the Skin, Sore Eyes, etc., etc. In these, as in all other constitutional Diseases, WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS have shown their great curative powers in the most obstinate and intractable cases.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism, Gout, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys, and Bladder, these Bitters have no equal. Such Diseases are caused by Vitiated Blood.

Mechanical Diseases.—Persons engaged in Paints and Minerals, such as Plumbers, Type-setters, Gold-beaters, and Miners, as they advance in life, are subject to paralysis of the Bowels. To guard against this, take a dose of WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS occasionally.

For Skin Diseases, Eruptions, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Carbuncles, Ring-worms, Scald Head, Sore Eyes, Erysipelas, Itch, Scurfs, Discolorations of the Skin, Humors and Diseases of the Skin of whatever name or nature, are literally dug up and carried out of the system in a short time by the use of these Bitters.

Pin, Tape, and other Worms, lurking in the system of so many thousands, are effectually destroyed and removed. No system of medicine, no vermifuges, no anthelminitics, will free the system from worms like these Bitters.

For Female Complaints, in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood or the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters display so decided an influence that improvement is soon perceptible.

Jaundice.—In all cases of jaundice, rest assured that your liver is not doing its work. The only sensible treatment is to promote the secretion of the bile and favor its removal. For this purpose use VINEGAR BITTERS.

Cleanse the Vitiated Blood whenever you find its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Eruptions, or Sores; cleanse it when you find it obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul; your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood pure, and the health of the system will follow.

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In presenting my list of lands and other properties for sale, I would say that no section of the United States offers such inducements for capitalists and emigrants, as this section of North Carolina. In longevity and healthfulness it will compare favorably with any where; and in easy and cheap transportation of products to market, in pleasantness of climate, in the sociability of the people, in great fertility and durability of soil, no section can [illegible].

A railroad will soon be built to Norfolk, putting this place in direct communication by Rail, with the whole United States. This, together with our great fishing, farming and manufacturing interests, and certain early completion of already projected works of improvement for putting in nearer, cheaper and easier communication with the Ocean, will render this one of the most important commercial, and manufacturing points on the Southern country.

A desirable house and lot in the town of Elizabeth City on the corner of two principal streets, the principal one, and situated in the best business locality in the town. The lot contains about two acres of land, and the buildings consist of a fair dwelling three stories high, containing eight rooms, all in good order, another two story building with four rooms and pantries, dairy, smokehouses, stables, &c. The dwelling has a good cellar under it. There is room on the front lot to erect two good stores, and they would occupy the best stand in the town for merchandize.

A farm of 700 acres in Pasquotank County 10 miles from town, with fine two story dwelling, large barn, kitchen and other outhouses; as also, two other dwellings, barns and other houses at different points on the farm. This farm is all cleared but 150 acres, is free from swamps and other waste land, and is well adapted to raising corn, wheat, cotton, oats, &c. The price is 14,000 in easy payments.

A farm of 500 acres in Pasquotank County, 6 miles from town, and one mile from the River, with good new dwelling built in modern style, barn, stables, four tenant houses scattered over the farm, fine water, &c. This farm is situated on the most public road in the County, has 300 acres cleared and balance in splendid pine, oak, cypress, maple, sweet gum, and other valuable timber. It is peculiarly adapted to raising cotton, $50 per acre, net, having been realized on a part of it this year in cotton. It also grows corn, wheat, oats, and other crops well. Price $12,000 in easy payments.

Two tracts of land lying on Pasquotank River four miles from town, neatly cleared, and in good cultivation, one contains 1,000 acres, and the other 600 acres. Both have good fisheries, and the land is equal to any in this section. Price $20.00 per acre in easy payments. Also several smaller tracts for sale, ranging from 50 to 100 acres each, at low prices, and on easy terms.

Also two fine farms in Pasquotauk county, 10 miles from E. City, within half mile of church, school house and post office. One tract contains about 400 acres, with fair buildings and mostly cleared, and the other contains 300 acres, with good two story dwelling, large barn, and other outhouses, both are offered at $20 per acre, one third cash, balance in one and two years.

Three farms—one of 100 acres, one of 80 acres and one of 190 acres, within two miles of town, mostly cleared land. Price $20 per acre for each tract—payments on easy terms. Also many other valuable farms and town lots too numerous to mention.

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ORDERS SOLICITED AND PROMPTLY FILLED.

Address D. S. KRAMER
Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of J. Barnard Sr.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. Barnard Sr. of Currituck Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

W. B. SHAW, Assignee,
Indian Town, N. C.

36—3t

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R. R. R.
RADWAY'S READY RELIEF
CURES THE WORST PAINS
In from One to Twenty Minutes.
NOT ONE HOUR

after reading this advertisement need any one SUFFER WITH PAIN.
RADWAY'S READY RELIEF IS A CURE FOR EVERY PAIN.
It was the first and is

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that instantly stops the most excruciating pains, allays Inflammations, and cures Congestions, whether of the Lungs, Stomach, Bowels, or other glands or organs, by one application.

IN FROM ONE TO TWENTY MINUTES.

no matter how violent or excruciating the pain the RHEUMATIC, Bed-ridden, Infirm, Crippled, Nervous, [illegible] with disease may suffer,

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WILL AFFORD INSTANT EASE.
INFLAMMATION OF THE KIDNEYS.
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INFLAMMATION OF THE BOWELS.
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SORE THROAT, DIFFICULT BREATHING.
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HYSTERICS, CROUP, DIPTHERIA.
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COLD CHILLS, AGUE CHILLS.

The application of the **Ready Relief** to the part or parts where the pain or difficulty exists will afford ease and comfort.

Twenty drops in half a tumbler of water will in a few moments cure CRAMPS, SPASMS, SOUR STOMACH, HEARTBURN, SICK HEADACHE, DIARRHOEA, DYSENTERY, COLIC, WIND IN THE BOWELS, and all INTERNAL PAINS.

Travelers should always carry a bottle of **Radway's Ready Relief** with them. A few drops in water will prevent sickness or pains from change of water. It is better than French Brandy or Bitters as a stimulant.

FEVER AND AGUE.

FEVER AND AGUE cured for fifty cents. There is not a remedial agent in this world that will cure Fever and Ague, and all other Malarious, Bilous, Scarlet, Typhoid, Yellow, and other Fevers (aided by RADWAY'S PILLS) so quick as RADWAY'S READY RELIEF. Fifty cents per bottle.

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Every drop of the SARSAPARILLIAN RESOLVENT communicates through the Blood, Sweat, Urine, and other Fluids and juices of the system the vigor of life, for it repairs the wastes of the body with new and sound material. Scrofula, Syphilis, Consumption, Glandular disease, Ulcers in the throat, Mouth, Tumors, Nodes in the Glands and other parts of the system, Sore Eyes, Strumorous discharges from the Ears, and the worst forms of Skin diseases, Eruptions, Fever Sores, Scald Head, Ring Worm, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Acne, Black Spots, Worms in the Flesh, Tumors, Cancers in the Womb, and all weakening and painful discharges, Night Sweats, Loss of Sperm and all wastes of the life principle, are within the curative range of this wonder of Modern Chemistry, and a few days' use will prove to any person using it for either of these forms of disease its potent power to cure them.

If the patient, daily becoming reduced by the wastes and decomposition that is continually progressing, succeeds in arresting these wastes, and repairs the same with new material made from healthy blood—and this the SARSAPARILLIAN will and does secure—a cure is certain; for when once this remedy commences its work of purification, and succeeds in diminishing the loss of wastes, its repairs will be rapid, and every day the patient will feel himself growing better and stronger, the food digesting better, appetite improving, and flesh and weight increasing.

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